



# **Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges**

## **Quarterly Summary Report**

### **Based on Number of Reported Cases**

#### **April - June 2009**

Juvenile Court: **Cheatham**

Court Number: **11**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **352**

Children: **184**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

#### **Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:**

Each case may include up to 5 referral reasons therefore the number of total referral reasons, referral sources, intake actions, formal/informal actions and person executing the action may be greater than the total number of cases.

0	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
0	0.00%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
0	0.00%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	0.00%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
2	0.54%	Other Sexual Offenses
1	0.27%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
14	3.75%	Assault
4	1.07%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	0.00%	Arson
1	0.27%	Aggravated Burglary
8	2.14%	Theft of Property
5	1.34%	Vandalism
0	0.00%	Forgery
0	0.00%	Worthless Checks



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0	0.00%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
0	0.00%	Burglary
0	0.00%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
2	0.54%	Sale of Controlled Substances
7	1.88%	Other Drug Offenses
0	0.00%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
1	0.27%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
2	0.54%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
0	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
9	2.41%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
0	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Harassment
0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
1	0.27%	Filing a False Police Report
1	0.27%	Criminal Impersonation
0	0.00%	Disorderly Conduct
3	0.80%	Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	0.00%	Gambling
60	16.09%	Traffic
2	0.54%	Local Ordinances
0	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	0.00%	Contempt of Court
11	2.95%	Violation of Probation
1	0.27%	Violation of Aftercare
9	2.41%	Unruly Behavior



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18	4.83%	Truancy
9	2.41%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
20	5.36%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
2	0.54%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
37	9.92%	Dependency / Neglect
1	0.27%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
130	34.85%	Judicial Review
3	0.80%	Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Foster Care Review
4	1.07%	Custody
0	0.00%	Visitation
2	0.54%	Paternity / Legitimation
0	0.00%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
3	0.80%	Other
373	100.00%	<b>Total Referrals</b>

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### Referral Sources: 1

126	33.78%	Law Enforcement
27	7.24%	Parents
11	2.95%	Relatives
0	0.00%	Self
40	10.72%	School
0	0.00%	CSA
50	13.40%	DCS
0	0.00%	Other State Department
0	0.00%	District Attorney's Office
103	27.61%	Court Staff
0	0.00%	Social Agency
0	0.00%	Other Court
1	0.27%	Victim
9	2.41%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
6	1.61%	Other
373	100.00%	<b>Total Referral Sources</b>

### Age of Child at Referral: 2

48	26.09%	Ages 10 and Under
8	4.35%	Ages 11 through 12
27	14.67%	Ages 13 through 14
53	28.80%	Ages 15 through 16
48	26.09%	Ages 17 through 18
0	0.00%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown
184	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**Sex of Child: 1**

108	58.70%	Male
75	40.76%	Female
1	0.54%	Unknown
184	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Race of Child: 1**

173	94.02%	White
5	2.72%	African American
1	0.54%	Native American
0	0.00%	Asian
1	0.54%	Mixed
4	2.17%	Unknown
184	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Hispanic Origin: 1**

4	2.17%	Yes
179	97.28%	No
1	0.54%	Unknown
184	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**School Enrollment of Children: 1**

144	78.26%	Yes
27	14.67%	No
13	7.07%	Unknown
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### Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1

58	31.52%	With Both Biological Parents
6	3.26%	With Father and Stepmother
20	10.87%	With Mother and Stepfather
35	19.02%	With Mother
14	7.61%	With Father
35	19.02%	With Relatives
4	2.17%	With Adoptive Parents
5	2.72%	With Foster Family
0	0.00%	In a Group Home
0	0.00%	In a Residential Center
0	0.00%	In an Institution
0	0.00%	Independent
5	2.72%	Unknown
2	1.09%	Other
184	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

### Type of Detention: 2

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
1	0.28%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
351	99.72%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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### Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1

1	0.28%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
0	0.00%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail
0	0.00%	Shelter / Group Home
0	0.00%	Foster Family Home
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
351	99.72%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
352	100.00%	<b>Total Placement Count</b>

### Intake Actions: 2

158	42.36%	Petition Filed
15	4.02%	Motion Filed
81	21.72%	Citation Processed
1	0.27%	Notification of Paternity Processed
116	31.10%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
2	0.54%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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**Last Grade Completed by Child: 1**

21	11.41%	Too Young for School
0	0.00%	Preschool
2	1.09%	Kindergarten
2	1.09%	1st Grade
1	0.54%	2nd Grade
1	0.54%	3rd Grade
2	1.09%	4th Grade
4	2.17%	5th Grade
4	2.17%	6th Grade
8	4.35%	7th Grade
16	8.70%	8th Grade
28	15.22%	9th Grade
33	17.93%	10th Grade
16	8.70%	11th Grade
1	0.54%	12th Grade
0	0.00%	Non-Graded Special Ed
1	0.54%	GED
0	0.00%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
44	23.91%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
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184	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Enrolled in Special Education: 1**

9	4.89%	Yes
139	75.54%	No
36	19.57%	Unknown
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**Action Executed By: 1**

372	99.73%	Judge
1	0.27%	Referee
0	0.00%	YSO
0	0.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
373	100.00%	<b>Total Action Count</b>

**Formal / Informal Actions: 1**

10	2.68%	Dismissed
5	1.34%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
57	15.28%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
100	26.81%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
35	9.38%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	0.00%	Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
0	0.00%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
17	4.56%	Special Proceeding
47	12.60%	Review Concluded
101	27.08%	Case Held Open
1	0.27%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
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**Case Outcomes:**

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61	7.89%	Case Dismissed
4	0.52%	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
2	0.26%	Warned / Counseled
133	17.21%	Held Open For Review
30	3.88%	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
0	0.00%	Probation to Parents
0	0.00%	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
1	0.13%	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
20	2.59%	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	0.00%	Referred to Alternative School
0	0.00%	Referred to Private Child Agency
15	1.94%	Referred to Defensive Driving School
0	0.00%	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
15	1.94%	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
7	0.91%	Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
0	0.00%	Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%	Private MR Placement
0	0.00%	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
53	6.86%	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
35	4.53%	Fine
73	9.44%	Public Service
5	0.65%	Restitution
1	0.13%	Runaway Returned
26	3.36%	No Contact Order
1	0.13%	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
5	0.65%	House Arrest
0	0.00%	Court Defined Curfew
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
1	0.13%	Released from Probation
0	0.00%	Transferred to Adult Court
0	0.00%	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Determinate



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12	1.55%	DCS Commitment - Custody
16	2.07%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	0.00%	DCS Intensive Probation
0	0.00%	Other Intensive Probation
7	0.91%	DCS Probation
3	0.39%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
1	0.13%	Supervision by DCS
3	0.39%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
1	0.13%	Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
27	3.49%	Order of Reference to DCS
129	16.69%	Court Costs
0	0.00%	Foster Care Terminated
0	0.00%	Foster Care Continued
5	0.65%	Custody Changed
1	0.13%	Custody Unchanged
9	1.16%	Visitation Changed
1	0.13%	Visitation Unchanged
1	0.13%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
1	0.13%	Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated
0	0.00%	Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated
0	0.00%	Child Support Granted
0	0.00%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Denied
68	8.80%	Other

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773	100.00%	<b>Total Outcome Count</b>
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